

Aloha from Marine Corps Base Hawaii

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September 20, 2013

Marine Corps Air Station

MCAS Kaneohe Bay hours of operation: Running modified hours until October 28 for runway construction

Monday & Friday: 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Tuesday - Thursday: 7 a.m. – midnight (Closed Saturdays, Sundays and holidays)

Exceptions: Monday, Sept. 23: 7 a.m. to midnight

Ulupau Crater Range Training Facility: Monday – Sunday: 6 a.m. – 11 p.m.

Pu'uloa Range Training Facility: Monday – Sunday: 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Events

Deployments:

- Marines and sailors with 3d Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment are currently deployed to Okinawa as part of the Unit Deployment Program.
- Marines and sailors with Charlie Battery, 1st Battalion, 12th Marine Regiment are deployed to Okinawa as part of the Unit Deployment Program.

Announcements:

- MCB Hawaii will conduct a shoreline stabilization project near the H3 gate from September 30 to February 18. Construction for the project is scheduled for Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Join the Marines and sailors of MCB Hawaii for the Splash and Dash Biathlon. The race is open to the public and will include a 500 meter swim in beautiful Kaneohe Bay and a 5K run along the base runway and taxiway. The race will take place on Sunday, October 20. Information and registration are available at www.mccs.com/races.

Community reminders:

- Final EIS for the MV-22 and H-1 aircrafts is available here.
- For information about job opportunities at MCB Hawaii, visit the MCCS site, www.mccshawaii.com, or call 254-7632.

News

Military, local police officers raise money for Special Olympics Hawaii - Marines from MCB Hawaii's Provost Marshal's Office joined fellow local and military officers and Special Olympics Hawaii volunteers for the annual Cop on Top fundraiser. <u>Full Story</u>

'Skinny Dragons' partner with Aikahi Elementary, support students - Sailors from Patrol Squadron 4 partnered with Aikahi Elementary School and the Kokua Foundation to prepare the garden beds surrounding the school for the school's garden-based curriculum. Full Story

- To express concerns about base operations, including flight operations and base personnel, please call our hotline phone number, 257-8832, or send a message from http://www.mcbhawaii.marines.mil/Departments/BaseInspector/FormalComplaint.aspx.
- For noise concerns, call 257-8832.
- For additional information about community event support, contact the **MCBH Public Affairs Office** at 257-8832/8838, or send an e-mail message to MCBH-Public Affairs Office at 257-8832/8838, or send an e-mail message to MCBH-Public Affairs Office at 257-8832/8838, or send an e-mail message to <a href="MCBH-Public-Affairs-M
- Information about MCB Hawai'i's **Marine Corps Community Services (MCCS)** programs, on-base business and job opportunities, and special events is available at http://www.mccshawaii.com.
- The **U.S. Marine Corps Forces, Pacific** website provides a wide array of information and links to other sites of interest, at http://www.marforpac.marines.mil/. MarForPac, the senior Marine Corps command in the Pacific region, includes more than 74,000 Marines serving at 12 bases and stations in Hawaii, California, Arizona & Japan, and deployed aboard Navy ships to worldwide locations. The website for the **MARFORPAC Band** is http://www.marforpac.marines.mil/band.